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RESISTORS FOR PRINTHEAD ASSEMBLY (As Amended)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment amends the Continuation Patent Application filed herewith and should be used to calculate filing fees due. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: